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S. B. No. 93

A BILL

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To Be Entitled

AN ACT transferring control and management of West Texas State University from the Board of Regents, State Senior Colleges, to a new body to be called Board of Regents, West Texas State University; providing for the creation of a Governing Board to be appointed by the Governor and confirmed by the Senate with residential limitations as to board members and their length of term of office; providing for the filling of vacancies occurring on the Governing Board and removal for certain causes; providing for the qualifying of appointees to the board, and its organization; providing for the work and activities to be pursued in said university and subject to actions of the Governing Board; providing all powers, duties, rights, obligations, and functions of the Board of Regents, State Senior Colleges as these relate to West Texas State University shall be vested in and/or performed by the new Board of Regents, West Texas State University on the effective date of this Act; providing a repealing clause; and declaring an emergency.

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by the Senate. Not more than two (2) members of such Board of Regents,

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President Pro Tempore of the Senate Speaker of the House

I hereby certify that S. C. R. No. 19 was adopted by the Senate
on February 18, 1969,

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West Texas State University shall be appointed from or be a resident of any one (1) State Senatorial District and not more than one (1) member of such Board may be a resident of the county in which the university is located. Three (3) members of the first Board of Regents, West Texas State University appointed under this Act shall be designated by the Governor to serve for two (2) years, three (3) for four (4) years, and three (3) for six (6) years, and the members appointed thereafter shall serve for six (6) years. The members of the Board shall be removable by the Governor for inefficiency or malfeasance of office. Any vacancy that may occur on such Board shall be filled for the unexpired term by appointment by the Governor. Each member of such Board shall be required to take the Constitutional oath of office before entering upon the duties of his office. The first meeting of such Board shall be held at a time and place designated by the Governor. At this meeting, such Board shall organize by electing a chairman, and such other officers as it may deem necessary. Thereafter, the chairman of such Board shall convene the Board of Regents, West Texas State University to consider any business connected with the university whenever he deems it expedient.

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Section 6. All laws or parts of laws in conflict with the provisions of this Act are repealed to the extent of such conflict only.

Section 7. The importance of this legislation and the crowded condition of the calendar, in both Houses create an emergency and an imperative public necessity that the Constitutional Rule requiring bills to be read on three several days in each House be suspended, and this Rule is hereby suspended; and that this Act take effect and be in force from and after its passage, and it is so enacted.

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	_ Monday,_	Feb. 17	, 19 69	
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Hon. Ben Barnes President of the Senate				
Sir:				
We, your Committee on STATE	AFFAIRS			,
to which was referredS	B. No. 93	, have	had the	same
under consideration, and I am	instructed to r	eport it	back to	
the Senate with the recommenda	tion that it do			
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A BILL TO BE ENTITLED:

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FORM A

(For favorable and unfavorable reports on bills and resolutions, where no committee amendments are recommended.)

COMMITTEE REPORT

Date March 12-69

HON. G. F. (GUS) MUTSCHER

Speaker of the House of Representatives.

Sir:

We, your Committee on HIGHER EDUCATION, to whom was referred. SB No. 93, have had the same under consideration and beg to report back with recommendation that it \{ \do \} pass, and be printed

(When this form is used for a favorable report on a general bill the words "do not" are marked out. If the bill is a local bill the word "not" should be inserted before the word "printed." When used for an unfavorable report the word "do" is marked out, the comma after "pass" is clanged to a period, and the remaining words also marked out.

When this form is used for a simple or concurrent resolution the comma after "pass" should be a changed to a period and the remaining words stricken out because resolutions are printed in the Journal when first introduced.)

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President Pro Tempore of the Senate Speaker of the Mouse

I hereby certify that S. B. No. 93 passed the Senate on February 24, 1969, by the following vote: Yeas 23, Mays 5.

Becretary of the Senate

I hereby certify that S. B. No. 93 passed the House on March 19, 1969, by the following vote: Yeas 133, Nays 5, and 1 present not voting.

Chief Clerk of the House

Approved:

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SB. No. 93 By Hazlewood	FEB 25 1969 MAR 19 1969
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FEB 3 1969 Read, referred to Committee on State Affairs FEB 1 8 1969 Reported favorably.	Chief Clerk, House of Representatives Chief Clerk, House of Representatives MAR 19 1969 Constitutional
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To permit consideration, reading and passage, Senate and Constitutional suspended by vote of yeas, nays. FEB 24 1969 Read second time and { ordered engrossed. passed to third reading.	
Caption ordered amended to conform to body of bill. FEB 24 1969 Senate and Constitutional 3-Day Rules suspended by vote of 24 yeas, 3 nays to place bill on third reading and final passage.	OMETED, DISTRIBUTED AND
FFB 24 1969 Read third time and passed by 23 yeas, 5 nays. OTHER ACTION:	(Idue) MAR 12 1969 MAR 19 1969 Read third time
Charles Schnabel, Secretary of the Senate 2-24-69 Engrossed.	MAR 19 1969 MAR 19 1969 MOTION TO RECONSIDER THE VOTE BY WAS Nays 5 9 / present not voting
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